

HOUSE _____ **AMENDMENT NO.** _____

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AMEND House Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 667, Page 2, Section 321.228, Line 30,
by inserting after all of said section and line the following:

“334.400. As used in sections 334.400 to 334.430, the following terms shall mean:

(1) "Anesthesiologist", a physician who has completed a residency in anesthesiology
approved by the American Board of Anesthesiology or the American Osteopathic Board of
Anesthesiology;

(2) "Anesthesiologist assistant", a person who meets each of the following conditions:

(a) Has graduated from an anesthesiologist assistant program accredited by the American
Medical Association's Committee on Allied Health Education and Accreditation or by its
successor agency;

(b) Has passed the certifying examination administered by the National Commission on
Certification of Anesthesiologist Assistants;

(c) Has active certification by the National Commission on Certification of
Anesthesiologist Assistants; and

(d) Provides health care services delegated by a licensed anesthesiologist;

(3) "Anesthesiologist assistant supervision agreement", a written agreement, jointly
agreed upon protocols or standing order between a supervising anesthesiologist and an
anesthesiologist assistant, which provides for the delegation of health care services from a
supervising anesthesiologist to an anesthesiologist assistant and the review of such services;

(4) "Applicant", any individual who seeks to become licensed as an anesthesiologist
assistant;

(5) "Continuing education", the offering of instruction or information to license holders
for the purpose of maintaining or increasing skills necessary for the safe and competent practice of
anesthetic care;

(6) "Department", the department of insurance, financial institutions and professional
registration or a designated agency thereof;

(7) "Immediately available", in the same physical location or [facility] department in

1 which the services are provided;

2 (8) "Physician", an individual licensed pursuant to this chapter to practice medicine and
3 surgery or osteopathic medicine and surgery;

4 (9) "Supervision", medical direction by an anesthesiologist of an anesthesiologist assistant
5 as defined in conditions of 42 CFR 415.110 which limits supervision to no more than four
6 anesthesiologist assistants concurrently.”; and

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8 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional
9 references accordingly.